

VOL. 9—No. 273. BOSTON, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1912. Registered in U. S. Patent Office. PRICE ONE CENT.

THE WEATHER.
Fair and colder tonight; Sunday
fair; moderate winds, generally
westerly.
Sun rises 7:10 a. m., sets 4:14 p. m.
Moon sets 4:26 a. m.
High tide 8:35 a. m., 9:00 p. m.
Temperatures: Boston 34, New
York 34, Chicago 16, Denver 14,
Los Angeles 50, San Francisco 50,
St. Louis 26, Philadelphia 36.

Jury in Hickey Slayer Case Fails to Reach Agreement

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 21.—After twenty-one hours of deliberation, the jury in the case of J. Frank Hickey, confessed murderer of seven-year-old Joseph Josephs

The report of the foreman, Justice Brown, sent the jurors back for further deliberation. The report of the disagreement was made shortly after 10 o'clock.

The spectacle of a broken-hearted father, wan and weary, moving like a shadow in and around the courtroom, moved to pity

**RIFLED SACKS BARE
THEFT OF \$10,000 IN
REGISTERED MAIL**

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 21.—Secret service men were called to Springfield today following the discovery of two rifled mail sacks stolen from a Wabash train and found in a vacant lot here. One of the

The discovery was made by the five-year-old son of Mrs. Lillie Hall, who brought to his mother checks, cigars and other mail he had found scattered in the lot. Every letter had been opened, but scores of checks were found, showing that the robbers took only the cash.

HELD RESPONSIBLE

...certainly looks in pretty bad condition."

URGES CARE IN USE OF DEADLY ACID

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The Department of Agriculture has denounced as criminal a farmer who used deadly acid on his property.

**DESTROYER BALCH
LAUNCHED TODAY**

necessarily launched at 11:01 a. m. today from the yards of the Cramps Shipbuilding Company. Miss Grace Balch of Washington, D. C., a descendant of Commodore Balch, after whom the boat was named, christened the new addition to the navy, which is 300 feet long, thirty-one feet beam, with a contract speed of thirty knots.

TO ADOPT HER

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 21.—A little girl in Maryland, whose name has not been made public, wants to be the daughter of President-elect Wilson. A letter he recently reads as follows: "Dear President—I thought I would write to you and ask if you want to adopt me. I am a poor little orphan, and I have to work for my living."

PRISING

**Photograph showing some
wagons used by House
sell eggs to the public**



**Lusitania Docks
Late After Battle
With Stormy Seas**

Eight hours later, bringing with her a tale of monstrous seas that swept the deck and stem to stern, by stopping the smokestacks. Twice the wireless apparatus was out of commission, but was quickly restored. The boat brought safely to port 50 first cabin passengers, 266 in the sec-

Christmas mail which it was "making
special effort to deliver early.

Among the notable persons on board
were Harry Linder, accompanied by his
wife; Sir Ernest H. Shackleton, the ex-
plorer, and Congressman Martin W. Little-
page.

**TRIED HOLD-UP
'TO GET MONEY
LOST AT POWER**

Carville, a Boston & Maine fireman who was arrested in a cafe in Dix place, charged with robbing Angelo Lippi, the proprietor, Angelo Carnacchio of No. 694 Tremont street and Michael Cardarelli of No. 534 Columbus avenue, at the point of a revolver told the police that the money he took belonged to him and that he was forced out of it during a poker game.

He play was raised and finally called. He showed his pair of sevens with another pair, and one of the other men laid out three sevens, showing that there were no sevens in the pack.

The arrest took place in Lippis cafe which was crowded with diners. When Bently shed a revolver and told the three men hand over their money the diners jumped over chairs and fled.

**MRS. WILSON HONOR
GUEST AT DINNER**

... wife of the President-elect, and her five daughters were guests of honor at a breakfast at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, given by the Women's Democratic Club. More than 1,000 women gathered to do honor to the soon-to-be "First Lady in the Land." Preceding

Incident Astor, the Richest Young Man in the World.

whose income is more than \$10,000 a day. Just what sort of man he is, what he likes and what he does. How will he spend his money, and will he, as a celebrated astrologer predicts, wed twice and die poor. A double

IN TOMO

CASSIDY TELLS WHY EGGS MUST GO LOWER

To organize the housekeepers' league in Boston, to fight the high cost of living, today tells how in one day twenty egg stations were opened in Boston, and a thousand dozen eggs were sold, while the customers waited more.

By HARRY P. CASSIDY.

Boston women, backed by the AMERICAN have opened twenty egg stations for the sale of eggs at twenty-four cents a dozen.

This price is a temporary one. It won't

The retailers are standing pat, keeping their prices at 50 to 55 cents a dozen. Anyone wishing to market eggs can secure through an unlimited quantity to be

Egg Dealers Offer Eggs.
An egg commission man called up Mrs. L. Stearns of No. 714 Commonwealth avenue, who is actively at work in the organization. He said, "I will supply you and your group of women with all the eggs you want at such a figure that you can make a handsome profit for yourselves." Mrs. Stearns' answer was "No." She has offered the use of the basement of her

to move all the furniture from her first room for a meeting of the Housekeepers' League at any time. But she is not in the movement to make money.

However, when Mrs. Stearns told me what the commission man had said, my answer was that I should arrange for the man who is supplying the Housekeepers' League with eggs to meet the lower prices

The drop in egg prices is as inevitable as anything can be. The situation is mathematically demonstrable. There are now in storage in Boston enough eggs to supply the city for more than two months if no fresh eggs came in at all.

At this year, eggs are literally pouring out. The hens have kept on laying much faster than usual, on account of the warm weather.

low 6,000 Asked Mrs.

UNDAY A

Commuters bought on their way to the
class use, two and three dozen at a
time—sometimes more. Every wagon
at station was besieged.

The wagon at the North Station sold
three crates in forty minutes, galloped
back and got more and sold these just as
fast. The original stock of fifty crates
was exhausted.

New Stations Opened.

The egg stations were scattered all over the city. Before noon, close to fifty had been established. New volunteers were coming forward all the time.

Miss Helen McAdam opened a station in the Bevere Town Hall.

Miss Jean Morrison sold eggs in a pot on the Broadway and Beale streets.

Housekeepers Busy.
The Housekeepers' League members were

EN WITH APPENDICITIS.
suffering from a sudden at-
tack S. Overman of North Caro-

Oh, what a Funny Fight

MANY SURPRISING FEATURES IN TOMORROW'S SUNDAY AMERICAN

WOMEN RUSH TO JOIN HIGH COST OF LIVING

Thousands of Dozens of Eggs
Sold in Campaign to
Out Prices.

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movement, testing the eggs on raw and eating (themselves) the people were getting eggs of the quality guaranteed. George W. Johnson & Sons, of No. 21 Haverhill street, volunteered to make signs for all the stations. They got an order for fifty such signs.

Mr. C. L. Burke, wrote in Mr. Cassidy's paper to buy three dozen of the Housekeepers' League eggs. I was very much surprised and pleased to find that they equal the eggs for which I had been paying thirty cents and in some cases forty cents.

Mr. Burke was only one of many. Every station had the experience of having some persons come, buy a dozen or a half dozen eggs, take them home, and come back in half an hour or an hour or two or three and come again. Harry P. Cassidy, the man who organized the Housekeepers' League for the American to better down the price of eggs, is now, with his source of supply for a one-cent sign, in twenty-five cents.

The wagon from the American office drove signs, "Housekeepers' League Eggs, twenty-four cents a dozen." Nine of them were stationed at busy spots in the city. The signs were placed where the best market offered.

Go Like Hot Cakes. And everywhere the eggs went like hot cakes. The crowd, which had been a thousand down west yesterday, in the first few hours after the twenty egg stations were opened, the market changed rapidly, and it was predicted a hundred thousand would be sold before the day was past.

Harry P. Cassidy did not. And Harry P. Cassidy came to Boston to investigate the cost of food and the pure food question for Boston for the American. Eggs are a great staple food. Cassidy landed in Boston and went straight to a grocery store. The first sign he saw was "Selected Eggs, forty cents a dozen."

Then Cassidy went to work to get his facts. He knew that in Philadelphia eggs had been away up—just that a little bit had knocked them down to 24 cents a dozen.

He had a suspicion that eggs ought to sell at about that price here. He investigated and found the market "arranged" at 24 cents.

Then he announced through the American that he would furnish unlimited quantities of eggs to be sold at 24 cents a dozen.

The first day three stations were opened, but these were not crowded. On yesterday, when seven opened simultaneously, three more were opened during the day. By night the campaign was handling Cassidy's eggs for him but he delivered to them within one day that thirty crates of eggs, and generally at those eggs were sold before the stores closed—thousand cases.

And these eggs were the best eggs seen in stores—April stock—every one could

Business Notes.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Beard the Signature of *Castell & Co.*

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Where You Can Buy Eggs for Twenty-four Cents a Dozen

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TAFT SAILS FOR CANAL TO PLAN FOR CIVIL RULE

KEY WEST, Fla., Dec. 21.—President Taft and his party reached here today en route to the Canal Zone, and were aboard the dreadnought Arkansas, to sail for the Isthmus.

The President has announced that the purpose of his trip is to determine if the time is opportune for establishing civil government in the Panama Canal Zone.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, or Bleeding Piles, or any other itching skin eruption. No matter how long standing, or how bad, cures in 6 to 14 days. PAZO OINTMENT is the only medicine that cures. It is sold by all druggists.

Toilet Goods

2.25 Military Brushes, solid ebony backs, finest quality bristles. . . .	1.75
50c Whisk Broom Holder, Hand Painted, Including Broom	39c
50c Perfumes, Prettily Boxed	35c

MERRY CHRISTMAS MERRY CHRISTMAS

Suitable, Practical
Inexpensive
Christmas Gifts!

Every department fairly alive with countless gift ideas—the very things most necessary to carry out the Christmas spirit in a fitting manner. Below will be found the things most necessary to make this Christmas a Merry One both for yourself and the recipient. Practical gifts are always best, they give a lasting remembrance of the giver and bring great satisfaction to the recipient. Be prudent, be practical, be thrifty—what to give, has been very satisfactorily decided by the splendid carnival of values listed below—a hint, to the wise is sufficient.

Boston's Biggest Bargains
Today, Tomorrow
and Always!

GLOVES

Women's 1/3 One-Color, Figue Suede Lambkin, 100% Suede, knit, tan, embroidered 95¢

4-6 Chamantele Glove, in white, 100% Suede, knit, tan, embroidered 95¢

Miss' 1/3 Two-Color Lambkin Glove, Figue Suede, 100% Suede, knit, tan 69¢

KNIT GOODS

Men's Fawnstain and Suede Sweats, assorted colors 4 25¢

100-100 Suede, Fawnstain, 40-42 49¢

100-100 Suede, Circular 98¢

30 Wool Shirts, Large, tan, 1.95

Children's 50-70s Tights, assorted colors, 25¢

FLANNELLE GOODS

Children's 50s Flannellette Sleeping Gowns, 29¢

Children's 50s Flannellette 19¢

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Children's and Misses' 30s Flannellette, pajamas, trimmed with Figue 39¢

50s Flannellette Gowns, double 69¢

100 Flannellette Gowns, double 69¢

100 Flannellette Shirts, pink and tan striped, double-edged 19¢

Women's 1/3 Flannellette 98¢

Women's 2.00 All Silk Unbreakables, black and colors.....		1.85
BOYS' CLOTHING		
<i>3 to 6 Size Russian Suits, in gray and navy blue, military style, broken lines, 2.00.....</i>		
2.98		
<i>6 to All-Wool Norfolk Suits, in gray and blue, broken lines, 2.00.....</i>		
2.75		
<i>12 to Bath Robe, assorted pail terms all wool Broadcloth, sizes 8 to 12.....</i>		
1.95		
HAMBURG		
<i>8 to 27-Inch Flouncings, on fine linen and madras, velvety effect, 4 to 6 yard.....</i>		
69c		
<i>4 to Gift Aprons, trimmed with insertion and eye, in various designs.....</i>		
35c		
<i>2 to Best Quality Gingham and Percale Skirt Aprons, with bib and button and buttonhole, for 2.50.....</i>		
1.50		
<i>Other Lines of Aprons, 25c to 1.50.....</i>		
JEWELRY		
<i>50c Gold Plated Cuff Buttons, plain and fancy patterns.....</i>		
25c		
<i>50c Gold Plated Stick Pins, colored stone setting.....</i>		
25c		
<i>50c Gold Plated Tie Clips, plain and fancy patterns.....</i>		
25c		
<i>50c Sash Pins, gilt and enamel, and stone set.....</i>		
25c		
<i>1.00 Gold Plated Bracelet, secret catch.....</i>		
1.00		
<i>1.00 Ribbon Fobs, with gold plated charms.....</i>		
49c		
<i>75c Shell and Amber Earrings, large assortment.....</i>		
49c		
<i>Men's Tie Combination Sets, stick pin and pair of cuff buttons.....</i>		
25c		
<i>1.00 14-K. White Stones, bar-cuff and pair of cuff buttons.....</i>		
25c		
<i>35c Children's Fanny, in colors with chain.....</i>		
1.00		
<i>1.00 Pendant and Chain, platinum finish.....</i>		
1.50		
<i>1.50 Gold Plated Locket and Chain.....</i>		
1.50		
SILVERWARE		
<i>25c Brass Ash Receivers, a large assortment.....</i>		
15c		
<i>35c Silver Plated Child Sets, knife, spoon and fork.....</i>		
25c		
<i>50c Silver Receivers and Puff Jags.....</i>		
25c		
<i>1.00 Silver Plated 5-Piece Child Set, fancy box.....</i>		
25c		
<i>75c Silver Cases, gilt and onyx, silk lined.....</i>		
49c		
<i>75c Lemon or Almond Dish, with and without handle.....</i>		
49c		
<i>75c Silver Plated Nut Set, 1 cracker, 6 pieces.....</i>		
49c		
<i>1.00 Sterling Silver Deposit, sugar and creamer, per set.....</i>		
75c		
<i>1.50 Gift Desk Clocks, guaranteed movement.....</i>		
75c		
<i>2.50 Sterling Silver Military Brushes, each.....</i>		
1.69		
<i>2.50 Sterling Silver Cloth Brushes, each.....</i>		
1.79		
<i>50c Silver-Plated Sandwich Plate, pieced pattern.....</i>		
1.08		
<i>30c Carving Set, 3 pieces, made of fine quality steel.....</i>		
1.98		
<i>6.00 Quadruple Plated 3-Piece Toilet Set, new thin model, plain, enameled.....</i>		
3.98		
<i>6.00 Sterling Silver Military Set, 1 pair brushes and comb, fancy box.....</i>		
3.98		
<i>6.00 Quadruple Plated 4-Piece Tea Set, plain and fancy engraved patterns.....</i>		
4.50		
<i>35c Sterling Silver Pencils, some gold plated.....</i>		
2.5c		
LEATHER GOODS		
<i>35c Real Leather Child Purse, in black and colors.....</i>		
25c		
<i>75c Pinkskin Coin Purse.....</i>		

Women's Footwear *A Warm Bath Robe or Smoking Jacket Will Add Greatly to Any Man's Comfort* **Women's**

Women's Gun Metal, Patent Lather and Fine Kid Skin Boots, lace and button, Cuban and medium heels, all latest style toes. Goodyear welts.

Also a Complete Line of Women's Boots. Goodyear welts.

Women's 2.00 and 2.50 Gun Metal Velvet and Fine Kid Boots, lace and button, Cuban and low heels—Cuban, lace and button, Cuban and low heels—Cuban, lace and button, Cuban and low heels.

3.00

2.50

1.25

Bath Robes

and

Smoking Jackets

5.00 Beacon Bath Robes—A good range of attractive patterns, cut full and long sleeves. **3.75**

1.00 Box of Writing Paper

25c

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25c Plain Net Jabots, trimmed with lace, in the double and effect, with velvet lace attached.

25c Dainty Eerie. Collared Cuffs Set, in scallop and hemstitched 42/66.

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patterns drawn work centres heavy braid, size 10&11 69c Men's 1.39	sty. 20" x 18" silk, excellent weaving 1.98 centil, good models, heavy with 100% silk 1.69 30c <i>Braseros</i>, good quality cot- ton. Hamburg yoke, some solid 25c	26c <i>3 1/2" x 18" Shirts</i>, in <i>center</i> fold, 100% silk 19c Brand 11c 16c <i>Poplin</i>, 27" inches wide 11c yard	brush and soap French grain finish, very acceptable holiday gift 4.49
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Cotton Flannel Pajamas 98c Made of heavy weight cotton flannel, trimmed with pure
Art Embroideries Cretonne Novelties, including Picture
Women's Sweaters 2.00 Sweaters, oxford and white, 98c
Hosiery Men's Hose, 1 pair

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Neckwear

50c Sample Line of Silk Scarfs,
in white and all the light and
dark shades. 29c
4.95 Imported Marabout and
Ostrich Capes, in all black,
black and white and natural
shade. 275

SMALLWARES

75c Needle Books, assortment of English needles, holly covered, each 10c

89c Hot Water Bottles, 2 and 3-quart sizes, warranted not to 40c

BED CLOTHING

85c Bleached Sheets, size 81x99, standard make	75c
55c Bleached Sheets, size 81x99, centre seams, heavy quality cotton	45c
14c Pillow Cases, size 37x36, 2	2c

15c Heavy Linen , 36 inches wide, extra fine quality. A yard	14c
15c Bleached Cotton , 36 inches wide, extra fine quality. A yard	11c
5.25 Wool Blankets , full size, white, with borders, wide silk binding. A pair	4.49
4.25 Wool Blankets , full size	3.99

white with borders, a pair	3.98
4.50 Down Puffs , full size, floral and Persian designs, light and dark patterns	3.79
3.50 Wool Filled Comforters , full size, silkoline covered, 9 in. anthracite border	2.75

y for Men and Women
c Pure Thread Silk: Half
medium and light weight.

...s and toes, in black and
 **25c**
1/2c Pure Thread Silk Half
 blacks and colors, spliced
 toes. **19c**

25c Full Fashioned Hose,
e, mercerized and fleeced
black, seconds (3 for 50c) **17c**



Remarkable Features IN SUNDAY'S AMERICAN

Every unmarried woman in New England will be interested in this picture. It is a picture of the most remarkable young man in the world. Who is he? There will be a most interesting story about him in tomorrow's Sunday AMER. This picture will be printed with the story.

Cardinal Farley Discusses Divorce

Head of Catholic archdiocese of New York in a page interview states the position the Catholic Church holds today on this great problem.

What Was the True Site of the Holy Sepulchre?

New proof that it was far from the famous church in Jerusalem that now commemorates the Saviour's burial place.

How 6000 People Begged Mrs. Harriman for \$267,000,000

The remarkable efforts of the financier's widow to discover the worthy among those who ASKED HER FOR THREE TIMES HER ENTIRE FORTUNE—and the surprising things she found out.

Is the Steady Drinker Never Sane?

One of the many interesting new discoveries all over the earth concerning the alcoholic who, an eminent physician declares, is never perfectly sane, even when not intoxicated.

Oh, What a Funny Fight for a Throne!

Princess Hazel Singer, an American girl, Princess Liane de Pougy of Paris Boulevards, three Ghikas and Europe's Royal Fat Boy scramble for the new crown of wild Albania.

Louise Dresser's Fat-Reducing "Monkey Shines"

Unique Simian exercises evolved after her discoveries that there are no fat monkeys and studying them to find out why.

At Last! Lady Constance Becomes a Professional Dancer

English high society dismayed by the spectacle of one of their own titled women appearing for money in wild dances at the London Hippodrome.

Expressly
For the
Ladies!

Lady Duff-Gordon, the famous LUCILE of London, and foremost creator of fashions in the world, suggests some charming costumes which will be in vogue at the balls and masques during the Winter season.

Madame Lina Cavalieri, the most famous living beauty, gives some valuable advice concerning wrinkles, their cause and care.

And these are only a FEW of the great stories which will appear in
Tomorrow's Sunday American

By Winsor McCay



MANY INEXPERIENCED BOYS ARE BEING PITTED AGAINST VETERANS
POOR MATCHMAKING CAUSES BOXERS' DEFEAT

By JACK CONWAY.

THERE is seldom a week in which promising young boxer is not outclassed by an opponent, who, knocked out. Many boxing who do not follow the game very and who are content to see an "big" fight, wonder why such things happen. The answer is very simple. The boys who are performing in today are altogether too eager to win. "Heaven's sakes!" There are in many cases "money mad" so feebly match them with men who they have no chance, just to get the

British Boxing Solons May Not Agree on New Weight System

LONDON, Dec. 21.—There are unmistakable indications that the standard of weights outlined by the New York State Boxing Commission is the standard set by the proposed control. England will have none of it, there seems no immediate prospect for the matter of fact, any distant prospect of the controlling in the world of boxing coming satisfactory agreement so long as the present conditions remain.

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The matter has received considerable attention here during the last week. A prominent writer, who is well versed in the subject, has been inspired by the only authority that the National Sporting Club—in point of fact, the only authority in the world—has placed on the subject, that the weights differ considerably from the standard here, and also, in some instances from those that govern in other countries.

"This difficulty may be bridged over by the use of the metric system, but personally I do not see why we should not stick to our scales just to be in line with the powers that be."

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States. It is not so long since the committee of the National Sporting Club very carefully into the matter of which were altered and increased by the inclusion of fly-weight, welter and light-heavyweight.

Boxers Have Increased

"Of course boxers have increased multiplied almost beyond number and one cannot, on looking back

ates. It is not so long ago that the committee of the National Sporting Club were incited by the matter of weight, and the result was the formation of the body which is the origin of fly-weight and light-heavyweight.

Boxers Have Increased.

"Of course boxers have increased and the number of fights has increased, but one can't look back, but we

ring that keeps a boxer uneasy and unsettled up to the moment he steps up his hands. From a spectator's point of view, the boxing business is a very simple process, for how can a patron make a fair return for his five-guinea ticket when everything is done for him by the last moment by one of the competitors? To benefit his side, alas! The only way to do this is to make the fight long, but the fact of one man being superior to the other is not enough to perform, they will be able to demand big

and fifteen and twenty years ago there were many brilliant performers, but they were not so good as the present ones. That is why the old-timers recited but few names.

The honors of today are able to succeed where the old ones failed, and they are full of boxers of stars and because the demand for ring make is action is

As long as there will be a few good boxers, there will be a few good fights, and as long as there are good fighters, there will be able to demand big

reminded that in the days of the berry championship we only had light, middle and heavy; that at the start of the Box Association had but light, middle and heavy, and even in its twenty-second year, but the a bantamweight, while the efforts of a seven-stone twelve-pounder failed on two occasions.

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Prominent Dartmouth men connected with the athletic affairs of the college admitted that negotiations between Red and Blue had been in progress some time, and added that the result of these negotiations would be such as Dartmouth will have no dual meet in favor of next Spring as heretofore, the school having suspended track relations with the Green in favor of Cornell.

Prominent Vermonters have closely cooperated with the athletic affairs of the college admitted that negotiations with the Red and Blue had been in progress for some time, and added that they hoped these negotiations would be successful, as farmwork will not have too much deal with several next Spring as heretofore, Harvard having suspended track relations with the college in consequence of Communist influence.

According to the report from Philadelphia,

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ply, Manager W. W. Quatieri of the Penn. truck team is quoted as saying that the meet will occur May 10 and be held on Alumni Oval, Haver, N. H.

BOB SMITH has a tip from Santa Claus for the winners of the numbers of some toys for the "kiddies." You know Bob Smith—Sports Illustrated—75 Fed-eral St., Uxbridge, Mass.

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By "Bud" Fisher



Charles F. Taft, who owns the club, has given orders to have offices built at the ball grounds. There will be only one key to the new offices and this will be in the possession of Billy Steinlake, the secretary of the club.

"If a deal now pending is pulled off," the club will, within two days,

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Old Colony Bowlers Arrange Schedule

The Old Colony Bowling League, which is composed of 120 Colonians, City Square

Following schedule:

December 26, Weymouth at Coliseum, Alaska, Norfolk Downs at City Square arena; January 1, Coliseum at Norfolk Downs arena; Weymouth at City Square; January 8, Norfolk Downs at Weymouth; City Square at Coliseum; January 15, Coliseum at Weymouth; City Square at Norfolk Downs; January 22, Coliseum at City Square.

At City Square, Portsmouth; March 10, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 11, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 12, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 13, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 14, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 15, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 16, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 17, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 18, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 19, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 20, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 21, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 22, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 23, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 24, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 25, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 26, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 27, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 28, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 29, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 30, at City Square, Portsmouth; March 31, at City Square, Portsmouth.

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SLOW TIME IN RACE

The much-heralded half-mile race between girl skaters at the Boston Arena last night proved somewhat of a joke when, of the dozen entries, only three put in an appearance.

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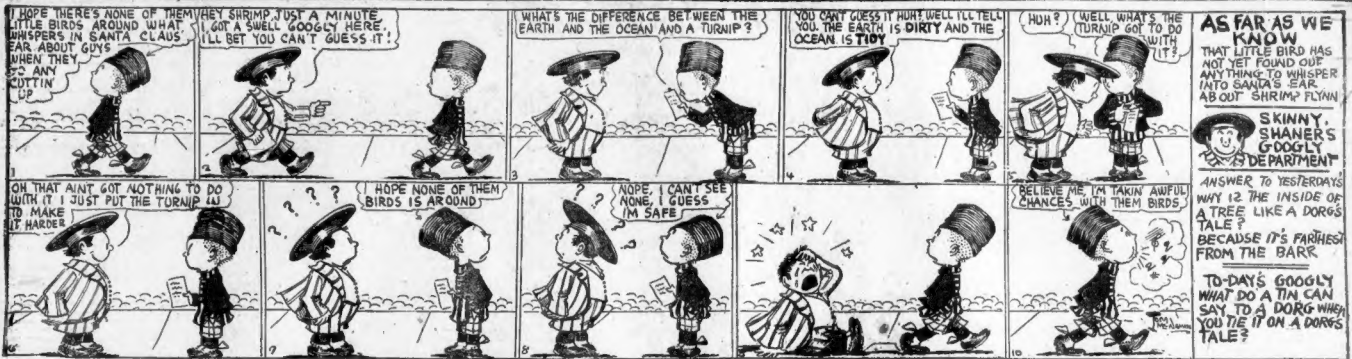
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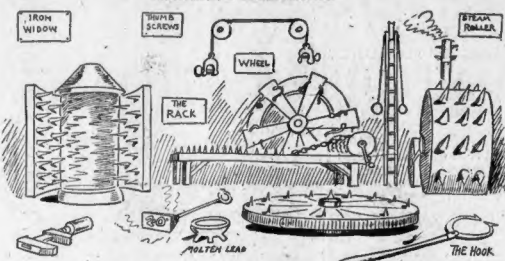
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**Energy of Earth
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Per Second**

If Man Could Utilize This Power
He Would Drop His Present Petty Occupations

By GARRETT P. SERVISS

IFE is a constant search for more power, and progress depends upon the amount of new ideas that is found and used.

Since man is not perfect, as far as the development of the mental capacity is concerned, the progress that he has managed to hold on to is significant that his greatest angles are only pitiful tools.

It is the progress that he has made upon the earth that can fill him very wastefully, to obtain power, and, like a child that has found a new toy, he is devouring it as fast as he can get it.

It is so conscious that there is no more sandy, and that he will need something else, and then he grows up.

It may be true that he is watched over by some parental intelligence which supplies his needs, but he is not sure that he would be wiser if he assumed that he will have no depend upon his own intelligence and that the gods will help him only if he helps himself.

energy? The earth weighs six sextillions of tons, and turns with a speed of nearly 1,500 feet per second at the equator—as fast as a cannon ball! A rapid calculation, in round numbers, shows that the energy developed by the rotation of the earth on its axis is equivalent to a constant supply of one billion and seventy million billion horse power per second. If you multiply or divide that number by a billion it will not make much difference as far as the power of the mind to comprehend it is concerned.

Centrifugal Force of the Earth Speeds the Mississippi

Did you know that the centrifugal force of the earth's rotation makes the Mississippi River flow thousands of feet up hill? If the earth stopped turning the waters of the Gulf of Mexico would rush up the Mississippi Valley and inundate Canada! A man who weighed 191 pounds at the North Pole would weigh only 190 pounds at the Equator, the difference being produced by the "throw" of the spinning earth. If the speed of the rotation were increased about seventeen times, bodies at the Equator would have no weight at all, for the centrifugal force would balance gravity.

Now, what have we done to utilize this stupendous store of mechanical energy in the earth? If we lived OUTSIDE the earth then, by putting a belt around it, or connecting cogs to it, we could employ its power. But we live UPON it, and hitherto have been as helpless to utilize its force as would be a fly spinning around on the circumference of the flywheel of an engine.

That this may not always be so is, perhaps, indicated by something else that our brain power HAS enabled us to do. Living on the earth we have, by observation and calculation, found out that it DOES turn on its axis, although we cannot feel it turning. We have found out that it has other motions also.

Earth Goes Around Sun and Flies With the Sun Through Space

It goes round the sun and it flies with the sun through space, in a tremendous journey among the stars, the speed of which we have ascertained. We know when it is slowing up and when it is going faster, and we know the reason for these changes. We have discovered and disentangled these things because we have brains and MIND POWER. But the human brain is only in its infancy, and since we are aware of that, we have good reason to hope that in the future we shall not only know that the earth is full of power, but shall make that power, in some way, serve our uses.

PRESENT TIME

By WILLIAM F. KIRK.

THE shops are full of people and the counters full of toys. For little girls with baby carls, and little, chubby boys. Even the worldly citizen who hates to shop at all is doing Christmas shopping now—he hears the season's call. The man who schemes the whole year through to trim poor you and me is scheming now and planning how to trim a Christmas tree. The folks that seem ridiculous and those that seem sublime are on a common level when it comes to Present Time.

Some praise of useless giving. Is there any useless gift? Santa Claus whispers, "No, sir!" to his ponderers strong and swift. But Santa Claus is overworked—he can't be everywhere. So why don't men as strong as he pitch in and do their share? Think of the tots that listen for the bells that may not ring. The tots that look for pretty toys and cannot find a thing! Ten cents will make a baby smile, so when the church bells chime, Don't talk of useless giving—do your best at Present Time!